

Craig Police Department

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TO: *Peter Brixius, City Manager*

FROM: *Jerry DeLong, Chief of Police*

DATE: *January 9, 2020*

SUBJECT: *Activity Report – December 2019*

1. Crime and Patrol Summary

See attachments. The department responded to 813 requests for service during the month of December. Community Service responded to 80 requests for service.

Once again this month, officers contacted several individuals for miscellaneous violations that resulted in the individuals being arrested for drug related crimes. The majority of the crimes are associated with methamphetamine, heroin and drug paraphernalia.

Officers also arrested 13 individuals for warrants and investigated six driving under the influence incidents this month.

Theft from vehicles picked up near the end of the month. There were items taken in some of the car prowls. Some of the vehicles were just entered and nothing was taken. The majority of these vehicles were unlocked at the time of the crime.

2. Community Service

CSO Wacie Laabs handled the following calls during the month of December.

- *Red tagged twenty-three abandoned vehicles. No vehicles were towed.*
- *No weed complaints*
- *No code violations*
- *No junk/trash violations*

- *No Administrative Warnings were issued*
- *One code citation was issued*
- *No parking warnings were issued*
- *One parking citation was issued*
- *Abatements Conducted in 2019: Cost of Abatements \$3,875.48*

Please see the attached Code Enforcement Activity Reports. The Speed Trailer was not deployed for the month of December.

3. Miscellaneous

December 14th, officers participated in the annual Shop with a Cop event at Walmart. Children were paired up with an officer and given \$100 to spend. The event was very successful!

4. Investigations – Detective Sergeant Marvin Cameron

- *Investigations continue to be very busy with reported sex assaults and death investigations.*
- *Interviewing witnesses into an alleged Unlawful Sexual Contact/Assault involving a female Craig resident.*
- *Interviewing more witnesses regarding a new born infant that tested positive for heroin at birth.*
- *Completed two days of Arrest Control/Defensive Tactics training for all sworn members of the Craig Police Department.*
- *Assisted Det. Rimmer with death investigation.*
- *Assisting detectives with active investigations.*
- *Participated with Shop with a Cop*
- *Daily administrative duties.*

SRO Nathan Businger Activities

- *Attended several events and meetings*
- *Continued investigations on reports taken previously*
- *Daily Training Bulletins*
- *Assisted a patrol officers in gathering information on students (CMS, MCHS, Sandrock, Ridgeview, Sunset) that were involved in various cases*
- *Attended POST Driving SME Committee Meeting in Denver*

- *Attended Adams County Police Academy Graduation*
- *Attended Arrest Control training at the safety center*
- *Attended Youth Safety Summit in Hayden*
- *Attended POST Internet Investigations Training in Steamboat Springs*
- *Attended Shop with a Cop at Walmart*
- *Received CORA request for Safe2Tell records from The Denver Post*
- *Attended School District safety debrief for lockdown drill*

Elementary School Activities

- *Finished D.A.R.E. at Ridgeview and Sandrock with Detective Rimmer*
- *Report of protection order violation at Ridgeview Elementary*
- *Safe2Tell – Child Abuse (East Elementary)*

CMS Activities

- *Follow up on multiple investigations*
- *Presentations for 6th, 7th, and 8th grade health and P.E. students on Tobacco, Alcohol, Vaping, and Drugs*
- *Welfare check on male student that missed 10 consecutive days of school*
- *Served civil truancy papers to guardian of male student*
- *Safe2Tell – Bullying*
- *Safe2Tell – Bullying*
- *Safe2Tell – Assaults*
- *Safe2Tell – Domestic Violence*

MCHS Activities

- *Report of sex assault between male and female student*
- *Report from grandparent of student being illegally searched*
- *Report of student harassment between two male students*
- *Worked with school and district administration, as well as Moffat County D.A.'s office regarding*
- *Safe2Tell – Anger Issues*
- *Safe2Tell – Welfare Check*
- *Safe2Tell – Sexual Assault*
- *Safe2Tell – Drugs*
- *Safe2Tell – Drugs*
- *Safe2Tell – Child Abuse*

YES Opportunity School

- *Nothing to report*

I am currently working with the Colorado State Attorney General's Office, Consumer Protection on youth vaping trends, usage, and how our department and the school district is handling this problem.

Investigations – Investigator Norm Rimmer

- *Death Investigation involving a drug overdose. Attended autopsy and completing follow up investigation.*
- *Worked on child exploitation case*
- *Assisted on two interviews with victims of sexual assault*
- *Closed out several open investigations with the district attorney's office*
- *Attended the monthly Child Protection Team Meeting.*
- *Attended our monthly Domestic Violence Review and Sexual Assault Response Team Review.*
- *Was off for two weeks at the end of the month for vacation*

Investigations- Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault- Investigator Mike Cochran

- ✓ *Continue to work with this case on child sex assault and now exploitation of a child.*
- ✓ *Continual follow-up on insurance fraud case. Now working jointly with Attorney General's Office.*
- ✓ *Sex Assault on a Child – Interview complete and turned over to DA's Office*
- ✓ *Follow-up on sex assault (child) continues. Turned over to DA's Office for juvenile summons on sex assault*
- ✓ *Multiple on-line trainings completed*
- ✓ *Working sex assault with Officer Kennell*
- ✓ *New sex assault reported from Rangely PD. Interview completed at River Bridge CAC.*

5. Training

December 4th and 11th, all sworn personnel completed Defensive Tactics training at the Public Safety Center in Craig.

During December, department personnel completed numerous CIRSA trainings online.

During December, sworn personnel completed numerous PoliceOne Academy trainings.

6. *Upcoming Events*

Nothing to report

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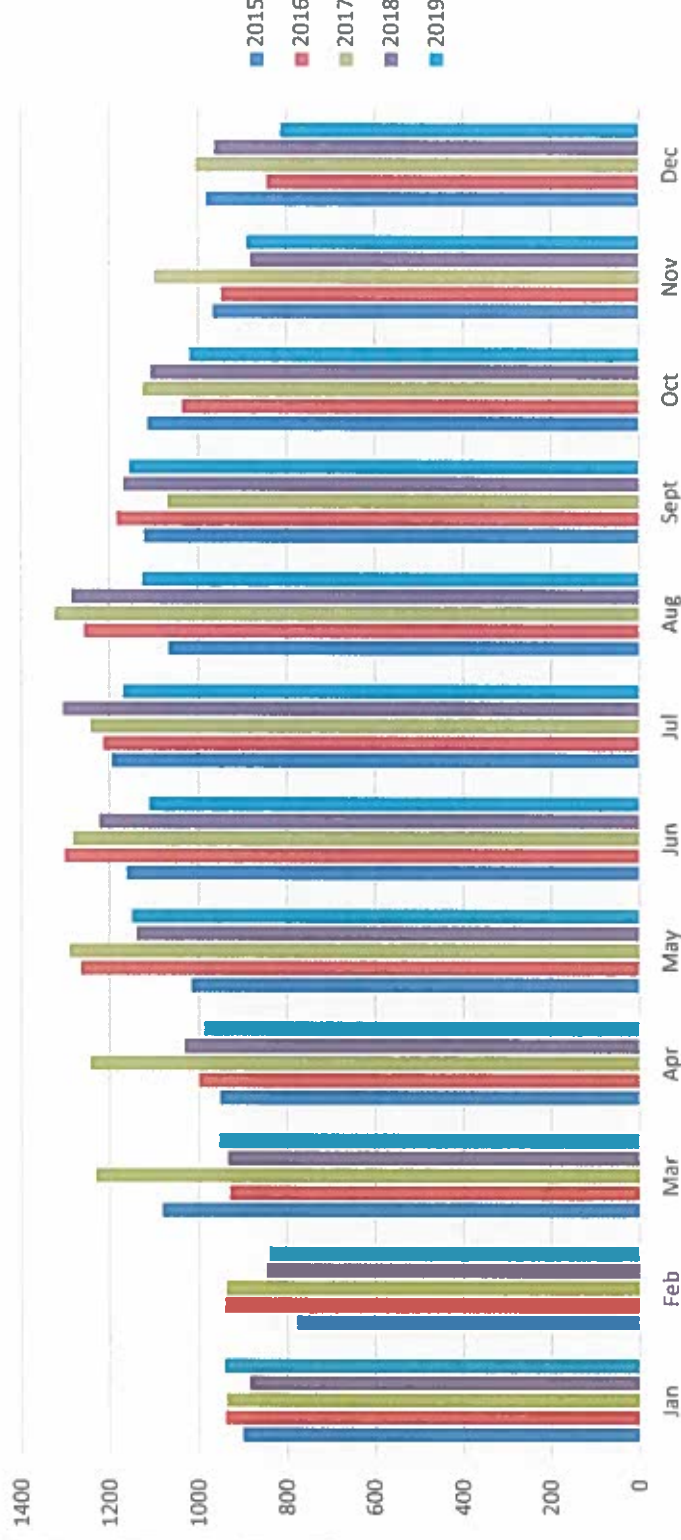
**Monthly Calls for Service
Dec-19**

911 Hang-Up	70	Parole Check	1
Abandoned Vehicle	8	Pedestrian Contact	11
Accident - Hit and Run	7	Person Found	1
Accident - Injury	5	Power/Gas/Phone Incident	3
Accident - Property Damage	20	Property Found/Recovered	5
Accident - Unknown Injury	1	Property Lost	8
Agency Assist	98	REDDI Report	4
Alarm	14	Road Kill	1
Animal Complaint	80	Road Rage	7
Animal Injured	4	Safe 2 Tell	12
Assault	5	Sex Crime	6
Bomb Threat	1	Shots Fired	1
Burglary	6	Special Event	1
Child Abuse/Neglect	6	Suicide - Attempted	6
Civil Problem	39	Suspicious Article/Person/Vehicle	35
Code Enforcement	20	Theft	29
Complaint	14	Threat	8
Criminal Mischief	3	Tow Request	5
Debris	2	Traffic Stop	45
Disturbance	30	Train Incident	2
Domestic Violence	13	Transport	2
Drug Violation or Incident	2	Trespass	4
Drunk Pedestrian	2	Unattended Death	3
Escort	1	Unknown Problem	8
Extra Patrol Request	12	Vandalism	3
Fraud	9	Vehicle Recovery	4
Harassment	10	Vehicle Stolen	3
Missing Person/Runaway	5	VIN Inspection	21
Motorist Assist	7	Warrant	14
Noise Complaint	11	Weapon Violation	3
Open Door	2	Welfare Check	25
Parking Complaint	25		
		Total	813

Calls for Service

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2015	899	777	1081	950	1015	1160	1193	1066	1120	1113	966	980	12320
2016	939	940	929	998	1265	1302	1213	1257	1183	1035	947	845	12853
2017	936	937	1231	1243	1291	1283	1243	1324	1067	1123	1098	1004	13780
2018	884	845	933	1031	1138	1221	1305	1286	1167	1105	882	962	12759
2019	941	839	952	986	1149	1109	1168	1124	1153	1019	890	813	12143

Calls for Service 2015-2019



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Code Enforcement Warnings

600 Blk. School St.	Gore, Art	12/17/2019		White Ford Ranger		584
716 School St	Rural Housing Service	05/10/19	X		Dead tree	560
934 Sloan Circle	Soron, Corinne	12/18/19		White Chevy 2 door		584
370 Stout	Earls, Jennifer	09/28/19		Silver Chevy Coupe	Warning 9/29/19	584
679 Taylor St.	Ridgeway, Stefan	12/05/19		Silver Ford Escape	Red-Tagged 12/5/19	584
395 Tucker St.	Weis, James	09/05/19	X		Verbal Warning 9/5/19	584
1127 Victory Way E.	Fredrickson, Dennis	05/28/19			Admin Citation 5/28/19	561
1243 Victory Way E.	Franks, Victoria	08/20/19	X	Black BMW	Warning 8/20/2019	584
2905 Victory Way W.	Potgeiter, Jacobus	03/01/18	X		Warning 3/1/18	561
Wickes Ave.	Switzler, Morgan	12/20/19		Green Honda Accord	Red Tagged	584
Wickes Ave.	Jennings, Sandra	12/20/19		Blue Mercury	Red Tagged	584
Wickes Ave.	McDaniel, Michael	12/20/19		Blue Kia Rio	Red Tagged	584
Wickes Ave.	Burger, Michael	12/20/19		Gold Nissan	Red Tagged	584
Wickes Ave.	Kleemann, Jerilyn	12/20/19		Blue Dodge	Red Tagged	584
W. Victory/Finley Lane	Medvesk, Gary	12/19/19		Green Pontiac	Red Tagged	584
TOTAL COMMUNITY SERVICES HANDLED IN DECEMBER 2019:			23			
VIN INSPECTION SERVICES HANDLED IN DECEMBER 2019:			21			

TOTAL COMMUNITY SERVICE COMPLAINTS HANDLED YEAR TO DATE:	438
VIN INSPECTIONS HANDLED YEAR TO DATE:	298

Code Enforcement Contacts December 2019		Abateements Conducted:		
Trash/Junk	0	Property Address	Cost of Abatement	Cost/Billed to Property Owner (including 20% Inspection and Incidental Fee)
Abandoned Vehicles (Red Tagged or Warned)	23			
Vehicles Towed	0			
Weeds	0	625 Ranney St.	\$322.07	\$386.48
		652 Pershing	\$180.00	\$216.00
Code Violations	0	625 Colorado	\$135.00	\$162.00
		745 Taylor	\$180.00	\$216.00
		888 Rose	\$427.50	\$513.00
		700 Russell	\$315.00	\$378.00
		614 School	\$202.50	\$243.00
		343 Taylor	\$101.25	\$121.50
		727 Tucker	\$202.50	\$243.00
		882 Tucker	\$225.00	\$270.00
		930 Taylor	\$758.75	\$910.50
		654 Conner	\$180.00	\$216.00

CITATIONS ISSUED

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ANIMAL CONTROL REPORT

MONTH OF DEC. 2019

ANIMAL COMPLAINTS HANDLED:		MOCO COMPLAINTS BY CSO	0
ANIMAL CONTROL	51	SUMMONS & COMPLAINTS	1
OFFICERS	29	VIOIOUS DOGS WITH INJURY	1
TOTAL	80	VIOIOUS DOGS W/O INJURY	0

ANIMAL IMPOUNDS:	DOGS	PUPPIES	CATS	KITTENS	OTHER	TOTAL
CRAIG - Owner Relinquish	2	0	1	0	0	3
CRAIG - Stray	5	0	4	1	0	10
MOCO - Owner Relinquish	3	1	0	0	0	4
MOCO - Stray	2	0	0	0	0	2
TOTAL	12	1	5	1	0	19

IMPOUND DISPOSITION:	DOGS	PUPPIES	CATS	KITTENS	OTHER	TOTAL
RELEASED TO OWNER	6	0	0	0	0	6
ADOPTED	5	1	4	0	0	10
EUTHANIZED	0	0	1	1	0	2
TRANSFERRED	1	0	0	0	0	1
OTHER	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	12	1	5	1	0	19

FERAL CATS: 2

REMARKS:

YEAR TO DATE TOTALS 2019

ANIMAL COMPLAINTS HANDLED:		MOCO COMPLAINTS BY CSO	5
ANIMAL CONTROL	944	SUMMONS & COMPLAINTS	34
OFFICERS	456	VIOIOUS DOGS WITH INJURY	8
TOTAL	1400	VIOIOUS DOGS W/O INJURY	8

ANIMAL IMPOUNDS:	DOGS	PUPPIES	CATS	KITTENS	OTHER	TOTAL
CRAIG - Owner Relinquish	33	5	14	1	2	55
CRAIG - Stray	128	7	58	68	3	264
MOCO - Owner Relinquish	12	1	4	11	0	28
MOCO - Stray	41	8	1	5	0	55
TOTAL	214	21	77	85	5	402

IMPOUND DISPOSITION:	DOGS	PUPPIES	CATS	KITTENS	OTHER	TOTAL
RELEASED	123	7	1	0	1	132
ADOPTED	83	14	41	37	3	178
EUTHANIZED	5	0	26	13	0	44
TRANSFERRED	3	0	9	25	1	38
OTHER	0	0	0	10	0	10
TOTAL	214	21	77	85	5	402

FERAL CATS: 16